

DISTRICT COURT OF THE VIRGIN ISLANDS
DIVISION OF ST. THOMAS AND ST. JOHN

ANNE L. STARR AS TRUSTEE FOR THE ANNE)	
L. STARR REVOCABLE TRUST,)	
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Plaintiff,)	
)	Civil No. 2014-10
v.)	
)	
NATASHA E. SHORE, NATALINA C. SHORE,)	
MICHELLE L. SHORE, and MICHAEL B.)	
SHORE,)	
)	
Defendants.)	
)	

ATTORNEYS:

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For the plaintiff,

Natasha E. Shore
Natalina C. Shore
Michelle L. Shore
Michael B. Shore
Pro se defendants.

ORDER

GÓMEZ, J.

Before the Court is the motion of the plaintiff, Anne L. Starr as the trustee for the Anne L. Starr Revocable Trust (the "Trust"), for default judgment against the defendants, Natasha E. Shore, Natalina C. Shore, Michelle L. Shore, and Michael B. Shore (collectively the "Shores"). The Trust has also filed two motions for a hearing on the motion for default judgment.

Default judgment is only permissible where a party has failed to plead or otherwise defend, and where such party is not a member of the military of the United States, or an unrepresented minor or incompetent person. See Fed. R. Civ. P. 55; 50 App. U.S.C. § 521 (protection of servicemembers against default judgments).

The premises considered, it is hereby

ORDERED that the Trust's motion for default judgment is **DENIED**; and it is further

ORDERED that the Trust's motions for a hearing on the motion for default judgment are **MOOT**.

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CURTIS V. GÓMEZ
District Judge